

Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

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FR. JAN RUDZEWICZ

INSTALLATION AS
PASTOR OF

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

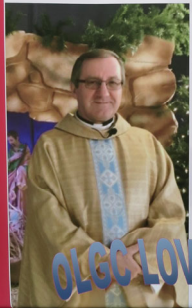
APRIL 29, 2017, SATURDAY

5:00 PM MASS

FOLLOWED BY RECEPTION
AT OLG HALL

We thank God for you!

May Our Lady Protect You!



Fr. Jan's Installation

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 7, 2017

MASSES:

Saturday Vigil : 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:30am, 11:00am & 12:30 pm (in Polish)

Weekdays: (Monday - Friday) 9:00 am

First Saturday—8:00 am

Holy Days: 9:00 am & 7:30 pm

Second Sunday: 3:00 pm - El Shaddai

Third Sunday: 2:00 pm - Virgin of Penafrancia

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4:00 –4:45 pm

First Friday— 8 pm

BAPTISMS AND WEDDING

By appointment : (510) 614-2765

ADORATION IN THE CHAPEL

Monday—Saturday—9:30am—7 pm

First Friday— 8pm-9pm—at the Church

9pm-12mn—at the Chapel

PARISH HALL INFORMATION

Call: (510) 501-4894 -Tuesday & Thursday

FAMILY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/CCD

Sunday morning – All grades after 8:30 Mass



Q & A ABOUT THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Part I

By "Our Sunday Visitor"

1. *What is the Holy Eucharist?*

The Eucharist is a sacrament, a sacrifice, and a sacred banquet. Under the appearance of bread and wine our Savior Jesus Christ is entirely present in this sacrament, body and blood, soul and divinity. In this sacrament He offers Himself in sacrifice to the Father, and is received as spiritual nourishment. The word "Eucharist" means thanksgiving. Our Lord in a most special way gave thanks to the Father as He offered it. Moreover, the Eucharistic sacrifice is the most excellent means we have of expressing our thanks to God.

2. *When did Christ institute the Eucharist?*

Jesus instituted the Eucharist at the Last Supper which He celebrated with His apostles the night before He died for us. *"He took bread, and blessed, and broke it, and gave it to the disciples and said, 'Take and eat, this is my body' "* (Matt. 26.26). Taking a cup of wine, he said: *"This cup which is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood"* (Luke 22.20). Finally, he commanded the apostles to do as He had done: that in every place bread might become His body, and wine His blood and that through His priests He might offer in every place the perfect sacrifice to the Father. *"Do this in remembrance of me"* (1 Cor. 11.24).

3. *Why is the Eucharist the center of Catholic life?*

The Eucharist is the center of Catholic life precisely because Christ is the center of all our life. In this sacrament Christ gives Himself totally, that we might share His life and be bound together in His mystical body. No Christian community can be built up unless it has its basis and center in the celebration of the Most Holy Eucharist. For the Most Blessed Eucharist contains the Church's entire spiritual wealth, that is, Christ Himself, our Passover and living bread.

This week's Intentions

Sat	May 6	Lionel Poblete
Sun	May 7	8:30 AM Rosy & Henry Pereira (40th wedding anniv) Alvaro & Restituta Alegado ++ Socorro Rodriguez + Oliver & Eugenia Lesperance ++ Linda Teng + 11:00 AM Vic Pediglorio (healing) Noel Manalang (healing) Oscar Orpiano + / Pacita Malapira + Juanita Estrellas +
Mon	May 8	Angelita Camarillo +
Tue	May 9	Jimmy & Mercy Cruz (36th Wed Aniv)
Wed	May 10	Lorelei Low (BD) Consolacion Balagot + Romeo Supelario + Victorio Humarang + Antonia Rosanes +
Thu	May 11	Nina Ricci + Juventino & Adriana Antonio (59th Wed)
Fri	May 12	Eduardo Castro +
Sat	May 13	Sharlene Pereira (BD)
Sun	May 14	8:30 AM St. Joseph Maria & Alejandra Cabe ++ 11:00 AM Joseph Pereira + Isabelita Vallar (Thanksgiving)

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Fourth Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations
Wednesday:	St. Damien de Veuster
Friday:	Ss. Nereus and Achilleus; St. Pancras
Saturday:	Our Lady of Fatima

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:11-18
Tuesday:	Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday:	Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Jn 12:44-50
Thursday:	Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27; Jn 13:16-20
Friday:	Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6
Saturday:	Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14
Sunday:	Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; 1 Pt 2:4-9; Jn 14:1-12

This Saturday, May 6th, seven children from our Parish Community will be joining us at the Eucharistic Table for the very first time. Please keep them and their families in your prayers. Our CONGRATULATIONS go to:

Jamielyn Magat
Eric Owens
Fred Owens
Noah Ragasa
Madisyn Solis
Micaelin Solis
Elizabeth Toribio

LAST WEEK'S CONTRIBUTIONS

Sunday collection (for general operating expenses)
Collected **\$2,679.00**

Restricted donations for: (St. Vincent de Paul)
\$528.00

Votive candles	141.00
Adoration Chapel	275.00
St. Anne (donation box)	67.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUOUS SUPPORT!
Next week's 2nd Collection: Liability Insurance

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The fact that many monastic churches do not have a prominent tabernacle shapes the patterns of liturgical prayer. Monastic communities often protect the ancient value of "receiving from the same sacrifice," meaning that the communicants are assured that what they eat and drink in the Holy Mysteries actually comes from the same celebration. It surprises many to learn that the Church does not foresee, nor does it provide for, Communion of the faithful from the reserved Sacrament. Liturgical laws have long defended your right to receive from the same sacrifice, the same Mass, that you attend.

At one time, of course, the bread for the Eucharist was the ordinary bread of the day, except unleavened, probably prepared at home. It was broken and distributed to the faithful. Early on the loaf itself was referred to as the *hostia* in Latin, meaning the "sacrifice," the same word for the sacrificial animal in Jewish worship, and for Jesus as the Lamb of God. By giving his life on the cross, Jesus became the *hostia* for us. To this day in the Greek Church, one of the tasks of the priest's wife is to bake the bread for the Divine Liturgy, sometimes in a bakery oven dedicated to that purpose and called a "Bethlehem."

Birthright of San Lorenzo – On this Mother's Day we would like to celebrate all the Mothers who have been the support of their families throughout the year. We applaud your efforts and perseverance in accomplishing all your tasks. Today, we would like you to help new Mothers facing similar challenges by taking home a baby bottle for your spare change so we can continue to aid pregnant Mom's in crisis. Please return bottles to the church when filled. If you have a few hours each week to volunteer at our center, please call 510 481-9677. Thank you for your generosity.



HEAVEN The goal of religion is not to get us into heaven—but to get heaven into us. —Anonymous

Q. Is it true that God does not have any gender and that the Holy Spirit is often referred to as "She"?

A. We human beings have only what is known as an analogical knowledge of God. We do not have complete, scientific, direct knowledge but can only try to understand the greatness of God, for instance, by the immeasurable universe. God's infinity we can never

understand. God's attributes of love, mercy, justice and so on we can think of only as improvements on human love, mercy, and justice. We cannot imagine, much less know, such attributes when they are infinite. So whatever is good in maleness or in femaleness is found in God in infinite degree, as is every other attribute which to our human minds is good. Christ referred to God as "Father" when teaching the Apostles the Lord's Prayer, but He could have been making allowance for the human limitation that makes us personify even the forces of nature as the old pagans did.

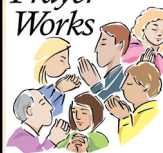
Christ Himself was male, but while He was the culmination of God's revelation to the human race, even that revelation does not give us complete knowledge of God any more than the comparisons we make to get our analogical knowledge.



Pilgrimage to 100th Anniversary of Fatima & Holy Land September 16-28, 2017 - 13 Days Pilgrimage with Daily Masses. Places to visit: "Portugal" and the Land of the Bible – "Holy Land". The Pilgrimage cost is \$4,299 (includes air, hotels and meals) from San Francisco (RT). Flyers are available at the Our Lady of Good Counsel office. Due to high demand, please make your reservation soon! For more information and reservation, contact the Group Leader, **Linfa Belisario @ (510)**

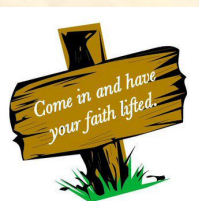


Prayer Works



Requesting Your Prayers

Gary Anderson, Erlinda Arrieta, Ed & Eliz Coyne, Leonor Yracheta, Priscilla Da Rosa, Belen Escondo, Mitchell Estrellas, Eddie Exevea, Nilda Falero, Arnel Flores, Mercy Gallardo, Arlene Goldsborough, Avelino Gapsin, Bill Haggerty, Erlinda Howard, Willie Orpiano, Pacita Macasieb, Bibiana Magat, Edward Mejia, Susan Nacu, Gail Ocasion, Frances Pangelinan, Rosy Pereira, Aida Pineda, Romeo Camantigue, Loreta Ramin, Peter Rosario, Maritess Sanchez, Rosa Maria Santos, Minda Santos, Linda Silverio, Augusto Uy, George Ybanez. Let us thank God for what doesn't need healing. Let us know if somebody wishes to receive Holy Communion at home or call Beth Mayor 510-483-1078.



Welcome New Parishioners !

If you are not currently registered, please take a moment to fill this out and return it to the parish office, or you may drop it in the collection basket.

Name _____

Phone _____

_____ New Parishioner

Address _____

City _____ ZIP Code _____

_____ New Address

_____ Updating Parish Information

_____ Send Sunday Envelopes

_____ Put on mailing list

OLGC THROUGH THE YEARS

